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IMPROVED ORDER OF RED MEN.

Members of TUSCARORA TRIBE, No. 5, well meet in their Wigwam on SUNDAY, November the lat, at ONE O'CLOCK P.M., to attend the full eral of our deceased brother, Thomas Jones. Members of our deceased brother, Thomas Jones. Members of the sister Tribes are invited to attend. By order of the Tribe JOSHUA V. DULING, Jun. Sachem.

WM M. STELLE, C. of R.

Oc30-2t* CHURCH CHORAL UNION.—A PUB-lic meeting will be held of all persons inter-ested in the work of the Church Choral Union, whether old members or those wishing to join the classes about to be started, in the lecture room of the Y. M. C. A., 1409 New York avenue on 1886 the War Papers, by prominent generals on both sides, will be continued, and there will

1409 New York avenue, on MONDAY EVENING, November 2, at 7 o'clock promptly. oc30-3t T. S. WYNKOOP, President.

The November number, now ready, contains: UNITED STATES ELECTRIC LIGHTING CO., Office 939 Pennsylvania ave.—The
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the transaction of such other business as may lawfully
be done by the stockholders under the provisions of
the charter. SAMUEL NORMENT, President,
WILLIAM DICKSON, Secretary. oc30-9t the third paper of Gen. Grant's personal memoirs of the war, describing, with great interest, the famous battle of Chattanooga. With it appears a full-page picture of Gen. Grant, from a photograph taken at Mt. McGregor, and the repro-THE MEMBERS OF WM. A. FREE-MAN LODGE, No. 2099, G. U. O. OF O. F., will meet at their lodge room, on 11th st. n.w., FRIDAY, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of our deceased brother, Wm. Coleman.

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oc29-3t* REV. SANDY ALEXANDER, Pastor. United Churches of the United States,"-the latter to be followed by papers on church unity

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Washington News and Gossip.

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GOVERNMENT RECEIPTS TO-DAY.-Internal revenue, \$457,192; customs, \$367,725. THE PUBLIC RECEPTION of the President in the East room to-day was not as largely attended as usual, on account of had weather. PAID OFF.—The clerks in the Treasury were paid off yesterday, in order to give those who

want to go home to vote, or who want to con-

tribute to the campaign, an opportunity to do

AN EXAMINATION for examiners' clerks in the Patent office will be hold at the rooms of the Civil Service commission November 13th, at 9 . m. The specialties in this examination will nctude a knowledge of patent laws and regulaions and of the usages of the Patent office. Every applicant must file an application, blank forms for which will be furnished by the com-

LABOR SCRIP TAXABLE.-Larkin McHugh, commissioner of labor statistics, has been investigating the question of labor scrip. The result is an opinion from Revenue Commis-sioner Miller that "scrip"—that is, five and good character, who, while entering the service twenty-five cent notes, payable in money and not in merchandise, and issued by individuals and firms—is required under the law to pay a tax of ten per cent on the amount of such note ised for circulation and paid out by them.

PERSONAL.-Secretary Endicott, M. Roustan. the French minister, Senator Voorhees and Sergeant-at-Arms Canaday were registered in New York last night.—Representative Bennett, of North Carolina, who has been in town or some time, lett for home last evening.-Miss Annie Martin, of Norfolk, is visiting Miss Sallie Clarke, in Georgetown.—Representative Maybury, of Michigan, is in the city.—Gen. Sheridan was in Chicago on Wednesday, but expected to return to Washington before the end of the week. - Mr. Jeff Chandler, of this city, is on a brief visit to his old home in St. Louis.—Ex-Representative Casey Young, of Tennessee, is at the Ebbitt.—Dr. Theodore Hansmann has returned from St. Louis, where he saw his brother for the first time in nearly forty years.

Civil Service Commission Reorganiza-

JUDGE MAYNARD LIKELY TO BE PRESIDENT OF THE COMMISSION. The death of Gen. McClellan has again broken up the President's plans for the reorganization of the civil service commission. He had trusted that the general would accept the appointment through patriotic motives, and then the matter would have been settled and the advancement of the service assured. Now there are several names being considered, but it is not easy to get men of suitable ability to undertake the duties of the office. The President has a very high government from this time forth, and he will too small for his cabinet. It is quite probable that the chief place on the commission will now be offered to Judge Maynard, the present sec-ond controller of the Treasury. It would prob-ably have been offered to him in the first place but that the President feared that a proposition to make a change might be misconstrued to imply dissatisfaction with the judge in his present place, which is far from being the case. The President holds Judge Maynard in the highest esteem and it is believed would be delighted to have him at the head of the civil service commission. The judge has sufficient private means to make the difference in salary a question little to be considered, and it is believed that heory, of which he is an ardent advocate, would nduce him to accept the appointment. He solds about the same views as to the dignity of he position as does the President, and sees in a powerful institution in the organization of government. There is much work to be done for the advancement of the service, and he would probably undertake the task.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT WRIGHT-WHAT Mr. Carroll D. Wright, the superintendent of the labor bureau, makes a report to the Secretary of the Interior of the operations of the bureau since its organization last spring. He states that he has endeavored to carry out the policy that the bureau should be disconnected from politics and from dependence on organizations, whether of workingmen or employers. and from the support of economic theories, individual views, or class interests. Between March 17 and June 27 twenty special agents were appointed to investigate the causes of in-dustrial depressions in this and other countries, and at the close of the fiscal year fitteen of hese agents were at work in the United States he bureau, which will be submitted early in the oming year. The appropriation for the last fiscal ear was ample for the expenses of the bureau. and nearly \$9,000 was covered into the Treasury. He, however, thinks that the appropriancy. tion for the present year will not be sufficient

Finishing the Pension Building Work. ANNUAL REPORT OF GEN. MEIGS-A FURTHER APPROPRIATION NEEDED FOR OUTSIDE WORK AND DECORATION.

Gen. M. C. Meigs, the supervising architect and engineer of the new Pension building, has submitted to the Secretary of the Interior his annual report upon the construction of that building. He says that the building has been so far fitted that nearly all the offices and clerks of the Pension bureau now occupy the rooms. The exterior building is roofed and mostly plastered and completed. The galleries are temporarily floored with wood. The great central hall has been covered with its iron and tiled roof. There remains available for all purtiled roof. There remains available for all purposes \$69,240.87 of the appropriations heretofore made, which will complete the enclosure and covering of the hall and will single glaze the windows which light it. "It is probable," he continues, "that some further grant of funds will be needed to erect the great gates, close the cellar windows and to plaster and decorate the hall walls and to lay down a permunat the hall walls and to lay down a permanent floor in the hall and in the galleries on which wooden flooring does not long endure the wear of the heavy traffic. The building will be entirely closed up and all its heating apparatus in action before the advent of winter."

three. It is certain that 100 or more men can live better on the army ration than a lesser number, because this is one of the principles which governed in apportioning the amount of each of the component parts of the ration.

The Prospect in Virginia.

At Work on the Annual Reports. HE CABINET OFFICERS AND THEIR BUREAU

OFFICERS BUSY.

All the cabinet officers are hard at work on their reports. They have not secluded themselves from the public as the President has determined to do, but they devote as little time to petitioners as they can get off with. As it nears the time for Congress to meet they will have still less time to give the public. The reports of the various bureaus are coming in very rapidly now, and they have to be gone over very carefully before they are given out for publication. The reports in the Treasury department that are about ready now—except some additions or slight changes that may be partment that are about ready now—except some additions or slight changes that may be made in the proof—are those of the Marine hospital service, the internal revenue bureau, the bureau of statistics and the first and second controller's and treasurer's offices. The report of the treasurer will be particularly interesting, as it will treat of the silver dollar in a way to show that it is a very expensive correction. show that it is a very expensive currency, both to the government and to the public. Mr. Jordan will present many facts and figures, calculated to give the Bland dollar a black eye, and will present many facts. and will present a strong argument against its continuous coinage.

Work of the Grand Jury. INDICTMENTS FOUND AND CHARGES IGNORED. The grand jury to-day found indictments against W. J. Armstrong for libel; Lizzle F. Grammon, alias Filmore, larceny, second offense; Wm. C. Bochmon, embezzlement; Francis Carter, do.; James Morton and John Johnson, assault with intent to kill; Joseph Beckman, second offense petit larceny, Frank Lee, alias John T. Lee, offering unlabelled oleomargerine for sale; Fannie Tetus, do.; Albert S. Dulin, larceny. Dulin, larceny.

They ignored the charges against Wm. J. Brown, for grand larceny; James Riley and Wm. Johnson, larceny from the person, and Wm. Weisbrenner, unlicensed retail liquor

MARRIED.—Mr. Jesse B. Rr.therford and Miss Marion N. Oyster were married Thursday even-ing by Rev. Dr. Sunderland. New England is alarmed at the influx of paupers from Canada, and measures are being taken to prevent it.

THE ARMY AND ITS NEEDS.

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Report of Adjutant General Drum. DESERTIONS - MILITARY EDUCATION - PROMO TIONS-ENLISTMENTS-ETC.

Adjutant General R. C. Drum in his annual

number of enlisted men now in the service who excluding Mr. H.W. Garnett from being present are drawing increased pay under the act of Con- at the proceedings of the court, he said, had gress of August 4, 1854, is 6,515; the number | nothing to do with Mr. Garnett's previous relaof those who will become entitled to increased tions with the court, but was caused entirely 11,294, and the number of enlisted men in ser- management of the signal corps. "No man vice whose terms will expire during the same | who talks that way about me," said he, "can be fiscal year is 3,949. The report states that the number of desertions from the army during the | control." past year has sensibly decreased, being 745 less than the number stated in the last report. The real and principal causes leading to the com-mission of this crime are summarized as follows: General worthlessness; disappointment at the realities of military life; uneasiness un-der its restraints, resulting often in recklessness from an insufficiency of moral sense; inequality in awards of punishment and the contamination of young or inexperienced men by con-finement for minor offenses in the same room n the guard-nouse with hardened and reckless characters; and a lack of uniformity in company administration.

The great care and vigilance exacted of recruiting officers in looking closely into the qualifications and fitness for service of all ap-

plicants for admission in the ranks of the army has been gradually but surely working out a remedy for the first cause stated. For the others the adjutant general is decidedly of opinion that the shortening of the first term of sources. that the shortening of the first term of service from five to three years; the adoption of a care- tirely destroy his usefulness." fully-digested code of punishments for all milia light prison for the temporary confinement o minor offenders; and the authorization of Congood character, who, while entering the service in good faith, lack all the elements that tend to make a good soldier, are measures which, if they do not prove an absolute remedy, will re-duce desertion to a minimum.

form part of the military duties of a soldier, and, therefore, compulsory; teachers, for obvi-ous reasons, should not form part of the company organization, must be specially fitted for their important position, and their selection should depend not only on the amount of requisite knowledge they possess, but because they have the somewhat rare gift-capacity to

PROMOTION TO THE RANK OF FIELD OFFICER the adjutant general says that the present sysregiment of the line shall be filled by the promotion of the senior officer of the lower grade, and the officer promoted be commissioned in the particular regiment in which the vacancy exists, is open to grave objections. It happens sometimes that during the permanent absence of the coloner of a regiment through sickness or other cause, when the command, of necessity, devolves on either of the other field officers, the latter lack the elements required for the successful discharge of the duties of a regimental commander and in such a case the regimental commander and in such a case the regiment. mental commander, and in such a case the regiment, no matter how zealous and efficient the company commanders may be, suffers loss in so destructive and far-reaching in its connot be content to have any but men of conceded ability and fitness upon it. He would select for those positions such men as he would not think too small for his cabinet. It is quite probable cer entitled to promotion should be commissioned as "major of infantry," "lieutenant-col onel of artillery,"&c., as the case may be, instead of, as at present, "major of the - regiment of infantry," &c. The effect of the proposed change will be to enable the fleutenant general of the army to assign officers of the line to the particular regiment of the same arm in which their services may be of the greatest benefit looking to the highest efficiency of the regiment. This, it is believed, would eradicate an evil which at any time may, through disgust or dispair, threaten the demoralization of a regiment otherwise possessed of material able and willing to sustain its reputation.

greater part of the time recruiting officers had instructions to select from those presenting a short time, to confine recruiting almost entirely to re-enlistments of soldiers with good records, lest the legal strength of the army should be exceeded. The total number of enlistments and re-enlist ments in the army (exclusive of the signal corps), during the year was 8,367. Of the 7,164 accepted recruits 4,222 were native born, and 2,942 of foreign birth; 6,587 were white and 577 colored; 19,059 applicants were rejected by recruiting officers on account of mental or physical disqualifications. Since December, 1884, the plan has been for lowed of retaining all newly-enlisted recruits of the general and mounted services at the general depots for four monts before assignment to regiments, that they may be instructed thoroughly in military duties. This course has NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS AT THE DEPOTS.

already been productive of the best results. General Drum recommends that application be made to Congress for authority to appoint from the enlisted men one sergeant major, one chief musician and four first sergeants at each of the three general recruiting depots. The duties of these non-commissioned officers at depots are more arduous than those usually reprograted by the agreement of the series of the series of the series of splendid road have been constructed between Mammoth Hot Springs and the upper Geyser basin. In addition, he has built being performed by the sergeant majors and princi-pal musicians of regiments and the first ser-geants of companies. Under the present organization of the depots these responsible posi-tions are filled by enlisted men detailed to act in the capacities named, but without the pay that should attach to the positions. It is earnestly hoped that this important subject will receive the early and favorable consideration of

depot mess at each of the three general depots of the recruiting service, supplying all enlisted men at the depot with the same food and at the same time. The recruits during their above to the control of the recruits during their above to the control of the co same time. The recruits, during their short a court within and for the park, with power to stay at the depot, cannot be expected to be perfected in their training, and it is not necessary that all should receive a perfunctory education in cooking and messing while there are so many other important duties to be learned. To each mess one cook should be assigned as chief, receiving mechanics' extra duty pay, one assistant cook for every one hundred men to receive laborers' extra duty pay, the numbe of assistant cooks in no instance to excee three. It is certain that 100 or more men can

The Prospect in Virginia. inquired a STAR reporter to-day of Congressman McMillin, who has just returned from a campaigning tour in that state.

"Everything looks favorable for us," he replied. "I traveled with Gen. Lee from Bristol. on the Tennessee line to the seashore, and I feel sure that Lee will be elected by a majority two or three times larger than that given to Cleveland."
"But, how about the legislature?" asked th

the legislature. But I do not see any reason to tear the result on our legislative ticket. The fear of loss of the legislature is more common outside of Virginia than within the state. Our friends there are not uneasy."

"The fear has been expressed that the democrats might lose through over confidence and apathy," suggested the STAR man.

"Wherever I went," said Mr. McMillin, "they seemed thoroughly aroused."

"Will the democrats get any proportion of the colored vote?" colored vote?"
"Yes, they will, in some localities. Now, I spoke in Mahone's native county. It is republican, but the democrats will carry it this time.

In the procession which met Gen. Lee there were two hundred colored voters wearing democratic badges and earnestly supporting the democratic ticket. They have learned by experience that the democrate are their best friends. Now, in other localities, the democrate have not made any inroad at all upon the colored vote. But there is a feeling of political indifference pervading the race which will show itself at the polls next Tuesday. There is no earthly doubt of the election of Gen. Lee, and I believe the legislature is certain to be democrated."

Canon Farrar christened an infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Field at Dobb's Ferry Thursday afternoon. The child was christened Harold Farrar Fleid. Mr. Edward M. Field is the son of Mr. Cyrus W. Field.

Petitical Notes.

Senator Sherman made a speech at a republican meeting in Petersburg, Va. last night, urging a free ballot and fair count, and protection for \text{\text{umerican industry.}} A republican meeting at Charlottesville, Va. last night was addressed by Governor-elect Foraker, of Ohio, and a democratic meeting there at the same time was addressed by Hon. H. S. Walker and Mr. Massey.

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THE FORT MYER COURT-MARTIAL. Gen. Hasen Defends His Action in Excluding Counsel and Denies Certain

Gen. Hazen said to a STAR reporter to-day that he had no information about the Fort Myer court-martial beyond that contained in report to the lieutenant general states that the the newspapers. The order he issued yesterday, present at any proceedings over which I have DENIALS BY GEN, HAZEN, A report is in circulation that Lieut, Jas. Al

Swift, in command of Fert Myer when the complaint was made by the men against the conduct of Lieut. Greene, their instructor, recommended that that officer make an apology to the men, and that when the news reached General Hazen he reprimanded Lieut. Swiit for his course, and upheld Lieut. Greene by ordering a court-martial of the men. THE STAR reporter called General Hazen's attention to this report. He replied: "I never, for an instant, upheld Lieut. Greene in his use of abusive lenguage. On the contrary. of abusive language. On the contrary, I repri-

him in the eyes of his men, that would en-THE OFFICIAL PAPERS IN THE CASE will show you just what was done," said Gen Hazen, ringing his bell and calling for the papers in question." They were as follows: "OCTOBER 22nd, 1885.

make a good soldier, are measures which, if they do not prove an absolute remedy, will reduce desertion to a minimum.

EDUCATION IN THE ARMY.

An examination of the official reports on this subject fails to remove the conviction that while the present system has not been entirely unproductive of good, it remains, as a whole, a partial failure, owing to the inherent defects in the scheme. The elementary instruction imparted in an army school should be largely of a military character; attendance thereat should form part of the military duties of a soldier.

Lieut. Frank Greene. U. S. Signal Corps:

Referring to communication of October 15th, from Private Frank L. Harrod and others, complaining of certain abusive and profane lauguage used by you at drill on the morning of the 15th instant, and to your redorsement thereon in which you admit the fact, but recite certain circumstances in justification, the chief signal officer directs me to call your attention to paragraph 3, of the army regulations, the imperative provisions of which, it appears, have been violated by you. The chief signal officer directs me to say that from his knowledge of your many soldierly qualities he is certain that this let ter is all that will be required to prevent a repetition on your part of this offence against military discipline.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant, Lieut. Frank Greene. U. S. Signal Corps: Very respectfully, your obedient servant, B. M. PURSSELL

Second Lieut, Signal Corps, U. S. A. Paragraph 3, referred to, provides that "suriors of every grade are forbidden to injure those under them by tyrannical or capricious conduct, or by abusive language."] "OCTOBER 22nd, '85.

enlisted men, in which complaint is made as Lieut, Frank Greene on account of certain lan tem which requires that a vacancy in any one regiment of the line shall be filled by the pro-THE LETTER OF THE COMPLAINANTS. "Can I see the letter of complaint of the young men?" asked the reporter, after he had

> reply. "I will say, however, that the letter itself is not objectionable in any way. It is a plain statement of facts couched in respectful language. I find no fault with the complaint. It is the way in which it was made that was the cause of the court-martial." GEN. HAZEN'S ORDER EXCLUDING COUNSEL GARNETT FROM THE FORT. the officer in charge of Fort Myer is as follows:

"No, I think I will not give that out," was the

The order issued by Gen. Hazen yesterday to "The authorities on courts martial make it abusive or otherwise objectional, and you will, therefore, if he has been truthfully reported in the Washington *Post* of this morning, advise the court to exclude Mr. Garnett from further Throughout the year the number of applicants for enlistment was large, and during the greater part of the time recruiting officers had W. B. HAZEN, Chief Signal Officer."

THE YELLOWSTONE PARK. Report of Its Condition and Needs by the New Superintendent.

Mr. D. W. Wear, the superintendent of the Yellowstone National park, in his annual report to the Secretary of the Interior, states that he assumed charge on the 1st of July last and in a worn-out condition. "The discipline of the force had no head to anything. * * * The game in the park had been shot with impunity and marketed at the hotels without any interference on the part of the officer whose sworn duty it was to protect and prevent its destruc-tion." The superintendent goes on to say that the worst of the "skin hunters" have been arrested, and he has succeeded in a measure in breaking up the wholesale slaughter of the game that has been going on for years. The park is now full of game of all kinds; elks and bisons now abound in great numbers. The report states that under the direction of Lieut, D. and repaired roads. This expenditure has amounted to \$15,000. By this new road, the Lake of the Woods country is avoided and the Green Creek mountain gone around. The re-port states that the hotel accommodations in the park are not what they should be for the person be appointed to see "that there is some-thing like the equivalent given their patrons." He asks that the force of assistants be increased from ten to fifteen, and that they be paid \$1,000 The report advocates the establishment of a per year, and \$100 per year for their horses and remand for trial to the nearest court having criminal jurisdiction. He states that the travel in the park has been much greater this summer than ever before. He suggests that the lines of the park be surveyed. The appropriation asked for is \$150,000.

The Pension Building Flooded. THE BASEMENT FLOOR COVERED WITH EIGH. TEEN INCHES OF WATER, BUT THE FURNACE FIRES NOT EXTINGUISHED.

posed portions of the new Pension building, and the consequence was that the basement. where the boilers are, was flooded with water, REPRESENTATIVE M'MILLIN THINKS THE which came pouring into the open windows on ELECTION OF LEE AND A DEMOCRATIC LEGISLATURE CERTAIN—THE COLORED VOTERS.
"What is the political outlook in Virginia?"
inquired a STAR reporter to-day of Congressman McMillin, who has just returned from a
campaigning tour in that state.
"Everything looks favorable for us," he redered traps to be put in connecting with the Meigs reached the building this morning he or-dered traps to be put in, connecting with the sewers. The tin roof on the south side also let in the water in places, and it leaked down through the ceilings of the third and second stories. Gen. Meigs stated this morning that the roof could be fixed, and that the damage "But, how about the legislature?" asked the reporter.

"We will have that, too. I think the democrats are sure of a majority on joint bailot. There is a fear among some that Mahone, with the tactics he is employing, may get a bare majority, even one majority, in the lower house, and that he would then, by means of contests, unseat democrats enough to enable him to control the legislature. But I do not see any reason to fear the result on our legislative ticket. The fear of loss of the legislature is more common The Pay of Special Messengers.

A question which is bothering postmasters just now is how they are going to pay the special messenger boys, whose first mouth of service will end Sunday night. Postmaster Conger stated to-day that he had no authority to pay the messengers out of any funds in his possession as a disbursing officer. He has called the attention of the Post Office department to the

Telegrams to The Star. tated through the trestie into the river, which was much swollen by recent heavy raius. The only particulars of the accident are that the en-tire train fell into the river, and Conductor Whittaker, of Richmond, Engineer John Wil-liams, of Lexington, and Fireman Richard Ty-THE VIRGINIA OUTLOOK.

The Conference at Constantinople.

TRYING TO AVERT A WAR

MR. HOLMAN'S INDIAN ESCORT

RAILROAD WRECK IN VIRGINIA. THE ARMSTRONG ABDUCTION CASE. FACTORS IN THE VIRGINIA PROB-

LEM.

RICHMOND, VA., October 30,-The situation is

growing old and the day of election drawing

TO-DAY'S CONFERENCE.

Special Cable Dispatch to THE EVENING STAR.

LONDON, October 30.-The conference which

assembled to-day at Constantinople expected

the porte to restore the status quo. Having de-

cided that, it will adjourn, leaving Prince Alex-

ander and the porte to settle matters as they

may. Another statement is that the conference

will discuss schemes proposed by the different

powers, their principal task being to secure the

England, whether she continues to support Prince Alexander. It is believed all round that

a collision and even war are by no means im-

possible. The decision of the conference to restore the status quo is almost certain to be followed by serious results in Roumeha and Bul-

Liberals Holding Their Own in Prus

General Foreign News by Cable.

CHOLERA IN NORTHERN SPAIN.
MADRID, October 30.—Numerous cases cholers are reported from Bilbon and Laredo.

COUNT BISMARCK PROMOTED.

Special Cable Dispatch to THE EVENING STAR.

War at Any Time.

Where Each Party Will Make Probable Gains and Losses. special Dispatch to THE EVENING STAR.

kaleidoscope views and fine spun theories which in certain quarters have characterized this campaign should be laid aside and the pubic allowed a glance at a few of the unalterable figures on which to make a calculation of their own. Assuming that the vote of Gen. Lee will be well up to that of Cleveland last year, when the latter's majority was about seven thousand, it follows that the republican state ticket will need the entire vote of Blaine and eight thousand in addition to give their candidates one thousand majority. The vote of Blaine was astonishingly heavy. Though deeply disappointed at Chicago over the defeat of Arthur, Mahone, commanding the great body of the party in the state, promptly opened the fight for the man whose nomination ne had so bitterly opposed. The few straggling republicans who had always opposed his leadership were delighted with the result at Chicago. The national committee in New York asked Mahone to recognize them on The Right Rev. George Howard Wilkin-son, bishop of Truro, at the Purity conference to-day praised the self-sacrifice of Mr. Stead, editor of the Pall Mall Gazette, and said that his electoral ticket. He did it. There was not only enthusiasm, but union for Blaine. There were cast and counted for the republican electoral ticket one hundred and forty thousand votes. This is a vote forty-five thousand larger than Grant received when he of the poor and oppressed carried the state forty thousand larger than the republicans George S. Dana, owned by the Campbell cree coal company, while on her way to Kanawh the present time, and nearly twenty thousand in excess of the vote cast for Gov. Cameron fou years ago, when he ran as the nominee of the then readjuster party, indorsed and supported stood, includes a full negro vote in a presidential year, when the rule in this state is that they vote freely and are counted fairly. Indeed, they have not often been asked to vote the democratic ticket for President in this state. Now, then, can the republican vote on Tuesday next be expected to reach the requirement which for the moment let it be said is demanded? Certainly

Capt. Cook's Condition Precarious not. It will fall short 20,000, probably more. Then it is defeated, is it? No; not necessarily, for it is not yet known what inroads, if any, PHILADELPHIA, PA., October 30.-Although Capt. Robert J. Cook, who was struck with a hatchet by the negro janitor of the Press building, rested reasonably well last night, the physicians are still unable to predict anything in relation to the result of his injuries. Inflammation is the danger most dreaded, but as yet there are no indications of it. have been made on the extraordinarily heavy vote for Mr. Cleveland last year. Gen. Lee stands credited with that vote. He will not get it, but how much he will lack remains to be seen. Gen. Lee will get a negro vote, however, that Mr. Cleveland did

CHICAGO, ILL., October 30.—The body of Jas. A. Dole, 28 years old, a son of James H. Dole, a wealthy resident of this city, has been found in the Chicago river. He has been attending a medical school in this city, but was compelled to cease his studies by an attack of acute dyspensis.

From Wall Street To-day. with whatever may be brought to him from the disappointments of the Cleveland ad-ministration. And he is unquestionably to be allowed something on account of the discussion NEW YORK, October 30 .- First prices at the NEW 10RK, October 30.—First prices at the stock exchange this morning were generally 4 a per cent below the closing figures last evening, but Northwestern, M., R. & T., and Texas Pacific, were 4 up, while New York Central and Northern Pacific preferred were unchanged. After the opening there was a further decline of 4 to 4 per cent, but it was soon checked, and a slow but steady unward movement followed. he and his party have forced on the democrats over the tariff, public schools, Blair educational bill, extravagance, partisanry, and unpopular-ity of the last democratic legislature, &c., &c. Finally there must be placed in his favor the ganization of his party known, and never so generously supplied with the sinews of war.

slow but steady upward movement followed, and a slow but steady upward movement followed, prices advancing \(^1_4\) to \(^3_4\) per cent, Pacific Mail and Western Union being most prominent in the advance. There was a slight reaction before 11 o'clock, and at that hour the market is moderately active and firm at prices fractionally higher than opening figures. St. Paul, Lackawanna, Western Union and Lake Shore have been the most active stocks, but the market was stocked to the market was active stocks. Little Good Expected of the Gathering of Diplomats at Constantinople-The Situation One Which May Precipitate first hour \$1,000 shares.

WAUSAU, WIS., October 30.—Vernon Young a worthless fellow, shot his divorced wife dead

Snow in Northern New York. WHITE HALL, N. Y., October 30.—A severe storm accompanied by a high wind has prevailed in this section since last evening. It is snowing hard at all points in the Champlair valley. The mercury stands at 31 degrees Many steamers are wind-bound on the lake.

the one hand and three other powers, especially A Victory for Striking Switchmen. CHICAGO, October 30.— The switchmen's strike on the Illinois Central road ended last evening, Superintendent Jeffery conceding to the men the same pay that switchmen and helpers on other roads get, and pay for overwork. France and England, on the other. If the conference disperses without a decision, which is not unlikely, Russia will recover full fiberty of action and will promptly endeavor to turn the

Two Schooners Wrecked. ONTARIO-A WOMAN DROWNED.

London, October 30 .- Sufficient reports have already been received from Berlin to show that the conservatives have not succeeded in get-ting the increased majority they have been struggling for in the Prussian elections yester-day. Berlin returns nine advanced radicals as

Berlin, October 30.—Count Herbert Bismarck has been appointed secretary of state, vice Count Von Hatzfold, who has been appointed ambassador at London.

GRAND FORKS, DAK., October 30.—George Miller was hanged at Grand Forks this afternoon. This is the first legal execution in north Dakota. On the 25th of January last the wife and eleven-year-old son of Rev. C. H. Sneil, a Methodist minister, living six miles from Inkster, were murdered by Miller.

was appointed to a naval cadetship October 18, 1841. In 1861 he was engaged in an attack on the defenses of Pensacola. He was in charge the Washington navy yard in 1862-68. 1864 he was engaged in an attack on I Powell and the defenses of Mobile. He marked distinction, and was commissioned a commander July 25, 1866. During 1866 he was fleet captain of the north Atlan equadron. He served at Philadelphia and Portsmouth, N. H., and was commissioned captain November 20, 1873, and command the flagship Richmond, of the north Atlan equadron, and then the flagship Hartford, of Asiatic squadron. He was stationed at Boston navy yard in 1877, and then at Washington navy yard for a term of three years.

London, October 30.—Augustus Edward Hobart Hampden, M. A., Earl of Buckingham-shire, is dead. BACING AT NEWNARKET. LONDON, October 30.—The race for the Jockey Club cup at the Newmarket Houghton meeting to-day was won by Mr. J. Hammond's four-year-old bay colt St. Gatien, with Baron De Rothschild's four-year-old bay colt Laveret second, Mr. Lefevre's three-year-old brown colt Ducar third, and De Hirsch's five-year-old brown horse Saucy Boy last. The betting was 8 to 1 on St. Gatien and 10 to 1 each against the other three THE ROBBERY OF NETHERLEY HALL.

CARLISLE, ENGLAND, October 30.- Further details of the robbery at Netherley hall show that four constables, instead of three, were wounded, one dying last night. After the police gave up the pursuit the villagers, who had rallied to their aid, continued the chase, and drew so near to the burglars as to force them to take refuge in a moving treight train. The authorities then telegraped to Tebay, the next station on the line of the railroad, and a force of police awaited the arrival of the train. Only two of the robbers were arrested, however, as the others had jumped off the train before reaching the town.

New York, October 30.—A steam drum in Robert Roberts' laundry, at 324 West 26th street, exploded this morning. A number of young women employed in the laundry were scatded by the escaping steam before they could get to the street. The following were taken to the hospital more or less badly injured: Mary Herrick, 16 years old; Minnie Cullen, 15 years; Kate Murphy, 16 years; Ethel Grayer, 16 years; Margaret Bowers, 16, and Wm. Dooley, 18.

How Mr. Holman's Committee was Eccorted into Fort Reno. FORT RENO, I. T., October 30.-The Holman congressional committee, consisting of Commissioner of Indian Affairs Atkins, W. S. Holman, J.G. Connors, Thomas Ryan, S.M. Peel and R. Danley, arrived here last night. The committee was met a few miles from the post by two companies of Indian scouts and escorted in. One company was mounted in the regulation army uniform and the other dressed for the occasion as wild warriors, thoroughly painted, with picturesque costumes, head dress and spears, bringing up the rear, observing no order, riding back and forth and yelling like wild, presenting a striking contrast to the tame war-riors. They showed the two extremes in this manner, and demonstrated to the committee the advance being made toward civilization

A TRESTLE WASHED AWAY.

Last Night's Rain Causes A Patal Ball-

neer and a Fireman Killed.

bout the same point.

road Accident in Virginia-An Engi-

RICHMOND, VA., October 30 .- A heavy rain

during the past twenty-four hours has caused

the greatest flood known in the past five years on the western end and Lexington branch of the Richmond and Alleghany railroad. A trestle at South river, five miles east of Lexing-

ton, was washed away and a mixed train or

the Alieghany road was wrecked. Engineer Williams and a fireman are missing and believed to be killed. All the passengers are safe. The Shenandoah valley train is in trouble

LEXINGTON, VA., October 30.-Last night the

CONDUCTOR, ENGINEER AND FIREMAN KILLED.

northern bound passenger train on a branch of the Richmond and Alleghany railroad, which connects with the train from this city at Bal-cony Falls, Rockbridge county, upon reaching the trestie work at the South river was precipi-

ree, of this city, were killed. The telegraph lines are down and particulars cannot be had.

RECEIVED WITH SAVAGE HONORS.

and modern life. The London Abduction Case. AN INTIMATION THAT THE TRIAL WILL BE LONG. LONDON, October 30 .- The trial of Mr. Stead ditor of the Pall Mall Gazette, and the other

defendants in the Armstrong abduction case, was resumed to-day at the central criminal court. Justice Lopes, replying to a question from the jury as to when the case would end, said they might as well ask the date of the day of judgment. Mr. Charles Russell, counsel for the defense intimated that the defense would nigh. It would therefore seem about time that the varying estimates, the changing figures, the the defense, intimated that the defense would ose their side of the case on Wednesday next. Mrs. Rebecca Jarrett, one of the prisoners, then MRS, JARRETT'S DAMAGING TESTIMONY.

Mrs. Jarrett being pressed by Justice Lopes to answer certain questions during the cross-ex-amination, swore that Mrs. Armstrong allowed her daughter to go with her for immoral purposes without having any idea as to what amount of money she would get. She denied having conducted herself immorally with the husband of Mrs. Ann Broughton, but admitted having sent him an immoral message. Justice Lopes here cautioned Mrs. Jarrett against not aswering honestly. Mrs. Jarrett admitted tha her letters contained falsehoods, and said Mr. Stead gave her £10 to procure Eliza. She believed that the "Lily" of the Pall Mall Gazette story was Eliza Armstrong.

Mrs. Jarrett is breaking down under the cross PRAISE FOR MR. STEAD.

An Ohio River Tow Boat Barned. CINCINNATI, OHIO, October 30 .- The tow box

with two empty barges, stopped after midnight last night at Water's landing, seven miles up the river, for more barges. While there fire was discovered near the after bulkhead. It spread so rapidly that nothing could be done to check it. The officers tried to scuttle her, but had no time. The crew had to rush to the shore to save their lives. The boat was built less than a year ago at a cost of \$40,000. She is insured in Cincinnati companies for \$20,000. She

A Medical Student Found Drowned.

be kept from the polls, others who voted for him will vote the democratic ticket. Wise, it seems conceded, will run ahead of the Blaine vote, both in the valley and southwest, and unless Lee shall also run ahead of the Cleve-land vote in those sections Wise will be gainer there. Then Wise is to be credited with what-ever damaging effect the exceedingly hard pepsia. There were no marks of violence of his body and his death is supposed to have been accidental or suicidal. times prevailing all over the state, especially severe in those particular sections, have done to the democratic party. He is to be credited, too,

have been the most active stocks, but the mar ket has been comparatively duil. Total sales Shot His Wife Dead.

to devote itself first to the proposition to invite

understanding between the three empires on Balkan situation to heradvantage. This morning I met Gueschoff, the special Bulgarian envoy, on his way to his last diplomatic interview, as he returns to Phillipopolis to-morrow. He was downhearted about the future and de-

EFFECT OF LAST NIGHT'S STORM ON LAKE Oswego, N. Y., October 30.-The schoon George B. Sloan, while attempting to make the harbor, during the severe gale last night, struck the new breakwater and went to pieces. The cook, Eliza Lackley, of Brighton, Canada, was drowned. The balance of the crew were rescued. The schooner was owned by Martin & Co., and was valued at \$9,000, and was insured for \$7,000. The schooner Ada Memberry. for \$7,000. The schooner Ada Memberry owned by Barney Everleigh, of Sackett's har bor, struck the pier angle at the entrance to the new harbor last night, and after drifting around pounded to pieces on the old pier. She was valued at \$3,000, and was not insured. The

Two Men Fatally Scalded. DISTRESSING ACCIDENT ON BOARD A STEAMER DULUTH, MINN., October 30.—A sad and distressing accident occurred here last evening whereby two men were almost instantly scalded to death. As the steamer Miles was leaving the dock cast iron cases or jacket of the cylinder filled with steam and exploded, throwing a great volume of steam with such torce as to knock the second engineer, who was on watch, through the door into the room where the first engineer was asleep. The steam rushed in through the opening, and filling the room scalded them so that when the crew went into the room almost immediately afterward they found both men dead. Thomas Hickey, the first engineer, was 37 years old, and leaves a wife and two children in Hamilton, Ont. The second engineer William Rooney, was not married, and leaves relatives in Ottawa, Ont.

Business Failures of the Week. NEW YORK, October 80.—The business failures throughout the country during the last seven days, as reported to R. G. Dun & Co., to-day number, for the United States 174, and for Canada 27, or a total of 201, as against a total of 174 lest week. of 174 last week. North Dakota's First Legal Hanging

The Late Bear Admiral De Kraft. Rear admiral J. C. P. de Krafft, who died yes rday in this city, as mentioned in THE STAR was born in this District, January 12, 1826, and